GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
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QUOTA IN GOVERNMENT JOBS
Singh Shri Ratan

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is contemplating to provide reservation to the Scheduled Castes in the private sector in view of the shortage of jobs in Government offices;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI D. NAPOLEON)

(a) to (c) A high level Coordination Committee has been constituted in October, 2006, to carry forward the dialogue with Industry on Affirmative Action in the Private Sector. It has been holding meetings with apex Chambers from time to time. Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI), Associated Chambers of Commerce and Industry of India (ASSOCHAM), Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) and PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PHDCCI) have developed their respective Codes of Conduct on affirmative action for adoption by their members. These Code of Conduct provide, inter-alia, for inclusive policies and non- discrimination. Dialogue with Industry is continuing.